

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Year-End Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - December 2000**

Juvenile Court **GREENE**  
Court Number **30**

January - December 2000                      1,134 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      767 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

1	OR	0.08% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
3	OR	0.25% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
50	OR	4.09% Assault
6	OR	0.49% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
11	OR	0.90% Arson
8	OR	0.65% Aggravated Burglary
95	OR	7.77% Theft of Property
25	OR	2.05% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
7	OR	0.57% Burglary
1	OR	0.08% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
15	OR	1.23% Other Drug Offenses
25	OR	2.05% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.08% Carrying Weapons on School Property
1	OR	0.08% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
11	OR	0.90% Evading Arrest
4	OR	0.33% Escape
6	OR	0.49% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
50	OR	4.09% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
5	OR	0.41% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
12	OR	0.98% Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.08% Filing a False Police Report
7	OR	0.57% Criminal Impersonation
10	OR	0.82% Disorderly Conduct
5	OR	0.41% Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
362	OR	29.62% Traffic
6	OR	0.49% Local Ordinances
1	OR	0.08% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
29	OR	2.37% Contempt of Court
72	OR	5.89% Violation of Probation
9	OR	0.74% Violation of Aftercare
34	OR	2.78% Unruly Behavior
85	OR	6.96% Truancy
3	OR	0.25% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
133	OR	10.88% Possession of Tobacco Products
8	OR	0.65% Violation of a Valid Court Order
4	OR	0.33% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
2	OR	0.16% Physically Abused Child
28	OR	2.29% Dependency/Neglect
2	OR	0.16% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
1	OR	0.08% Violation of Informal Adjustment
7	OR	0.57% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
1	OR	0.08% Foster Care Review
39	OR	3.19% Custody
1	OR	0.08% Visitation
5	OR	0.41% Paternity/Legitimation
7	OR	0.57% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
23	OR	1.88% Other
1,222	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 1,134 Cases, There Were  
Referral Source

1,222 Referral Sources

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660	OR	54.0% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
60	OR	4.9% Were Referred By Parents
14	OR	1.1% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
210	OR	17.2% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
58	OR	4.7% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
86	OR	7.0% Were Referred By Court Staff
65	OR	5.3% Were Referred By Social Agency
2	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Other Court
57	OR	4.7% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
8	OR	0.7% Other
1,222	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,134 Cases, There Were 1,222 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

708	OR	57.9% Petition Filed
23	OR	1.9% Motion Filed
487	OR	39.9% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
4	OR	0.3% Other
1,222	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,134 Cases:

#### **Type Of Detention**

3	OR	0.3% Non-Secure Placement
56	OR	4.9% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
1	OR	0.1% Jail - No Separation
1	OR	0.1% Psychiatric Hospital
1	OR	0.1% Unknown
1,072	OR	94.5% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,134	OR	100.0% Total

#### **Placement After Secure Detention Hearing**

27	OR	2.4% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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1	OR	0.1% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
3	OR	0.3% Psychiatric Hospital
23	OR	2.0% Unknown
1,074	OR	94.7% Does Not Apply
6	OR	0.5% Other
1,134	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2000, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

767 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

64	OR	8.3% Birth Through Age 10
24	OR	3.1% Ages 11 Through 12
93	OR	12.1% Ages 13 Through 14
300	OR	39.1% Ages 15 Through 16
284	OR	37.0% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
2	OR	0.3% Unknown/Not Reported
767	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

496	OR	64.7% Male
271	OR	35.3% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
767	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

742	OR	96.7% White
16	OR	2.1% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
4	OR	0.5% Asian
1	OR	0.1% Mixed Race
4	OR	0.5% Unknown
767	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 767 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

4	OR	0.5% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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288	OR	37.5% Living With Both Biological Parents
1	OR	0.1% Living With Father And Stepmother
21	OR	2.7% Living With Mother And Stepfather

264	OR	34.4% Living With Mother
54	OR	7.0% Living With Father
28	OR	3.7% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
13	OR	1.7% Living With Foster Family
35	OR	4.6% Living In A Group Home
10	OR	1.3% Living In A Residential Center
3	OR	0.4% Living In An Institution
9	OR	1.2% Living Independently
39	OR	5.1% Unknown
2	OR	0.3% Other
767	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

662	OR	86.3% Were Enrolled In School
47	OR	6.1% Were Not Enrolled In School
58	OR	7.6% Unknown
767	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
0	OR	0.0% Finished Kindergarten
4	OR	0.5% Finished Grade 1
1	OR	0.1% Finished Grade 2
2	OR	0.3% Finished Grade 3
2	OR	0.3% Finished Grade 4
4	OR	0.5% Finished Grade 5
13	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 6
17	OR	2.2% Finished Grade 7
63	OR	8.2% Finished Grade 8
42	OR	5.5% Finished Grade 9
46	OR	6.0% Finished Grade 10
16	OR	2.1% Finished Grade 11
3	OR	0.4% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
2	OR	0.3% Never Been In School
552	OR	72.0% Unknown
767	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

49	OR	6.4% Were Enrolled In Special Education
202	OR	26.3% Not Enrolled In Special Education
516	OR	67.3% Unknown
767	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 2,933 Specific **Case Outcomes**

Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

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168	OR	5.73% Case Dismissed
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10	OR	0.34% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
0	OR	0.00% Warned/Counseled
85	OR	2.90% Held Open For Review
35	OR	1.19% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
1	OR	0.03% Probation To Parents
2	OR	0.07% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
43	OR	1.47% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
20	OR	0.68% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
67	OR	2.28% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
26	OR	0.89% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
11	OR	0.38% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
1	OR	0.03% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
3	OR	0.10% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
395	OR	13.47% Fine
124	OR	4.23% Public Service
103	OR	3.51% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
43	OR	1.47% No Contact Order
16	OR	0.55% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
20	OR	0.68% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
5	OR	0.17% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
109	OR	3.72% DCS Commitment/Custody
2	OR	0.07% DCS Commitment - Suspended
2	OR	0.07% DCS Intensive Probation
46	OR	1.57% Other Intensive Probation
10	OR	0.34% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
2	OR	0.07% Supervision By DCS
33	OR	1.13% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
2	OR	0.07% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
857	OR	29.22% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
1	OR	0.03% Foster Care Continued
52	OR	1.77% Custody Changed
19	OR	0.65% Custody Unchanged

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15	OR	0.51% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
2	OR	0.07% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
2	OR	0.07% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
22	OR	0.75% Child Support Granted
3	OR	0.10% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
1	OR	0.03% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
575	OR	19.60% Other
2,933	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 1,222 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

1,147	OR	93.9% Disposed By The Judge
57	OR	4.7% Disposed By The Referee
18	OR	1.5% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,222	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,134 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 1,222 Referral Reasons Was:

159	OR	13.0% Dismissed
19	OR	1.6% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
246	OR	20.1% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
133	OR	10.9% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
44	OR	3.6% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
23	OR	1.9% Informal Adjustment
109	OR	8.9% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
7	OR	0.6% Special Proceeding
13	OR	1.1% Review Concluded
37	OR	3.0% Case Held Open
432	OR	35.4% Other
1,222	OR	100.0% Total